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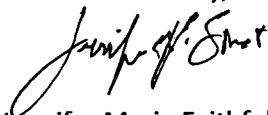
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To whom it may concern:

In reference to Docket 2008-196-E, I would like to present my views as a customer of SCE&G and lifelong citizen of South Carolina. I believe that building two more nuclear generators is a poor move for South Carolina's environment, people and energy future. The waste caused by nuclear energy makes it unsafe and impractical as a power source: spent nuclear fuel remains radioactive for long periods of time, causing cancer and birth defects. Neither can it be recycled safely, remaining a dangerous carcinogen. Nuclear power is expensive, especially in comparison to some alternative sources of energy like solar and wind power. Indeed, if South Carolina would encourage installation of solar panels and buy back excess solar power from residents, we could make a huge leap forward in energy independence and lowering waste production. Simply installing solar panels on parking garages could generate huge amounts of energy in South Carolina's blistering summers. SCE&G could be a leader in energy innovation in the Southeast by investing in and promoting solar and wind technology. Instead of relying on the same unsafe methods of energy production, South Carolina needs to move forward in researching and more importantly, implementing new, sustainable methods of energy production.

Sincerely,



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